

Chesterfield Age Wave Coalition Action Coalition 2015

Leadership Team: 1-2 people from each committee and others

Ad Hoc Groups:

- Awareness and Access to Resources (Toolkit)
 - Community Education
 - Resources available and gaps
 - How to get information into the neighborhoods
 - Website
 - Seniors as a resources
 - Heavy involvement with the Council on Aging
- Housing and Neighborhood Support
 - Neighbor to Neighbor program – mobilize a safe community
 - Accessible housing
 - Home modification
 - Encourage universal design
 - Transportation
 - Create a “village” in neighborhoods to offer services and activities (libraries, community centers, faith community)
- Community Partnerships and Collaboration
 - Cultural diversity
 - Healthy and active living (bike and trail paths)
 - Multi-generational activities and supports
 - Home school students and seniors
 - Community Forums
 - Projects that link schools, businesses and library/community center/faith community
 - Coordinate with the business center to encourage entrepreneurs to address senior needs
- Grant Committee
 - Part-time position, 20 hours/week.
 - Seek grant and/or partnership monies
 - Help small businesses identify grant availability
 - Start a Foundation for the Age Wave/Senior Advocate’s office.